

REMARKS

In the Office action claims 1-20 were rejected pursuant 35 USC section 101, statutory and obvious-type double patenting. New claims have been introduced. It is believed that the new claims overcome the rejections.

Applicants request an extension of time for one month to respond to the outstanding office action. To that end, the USPTO is authorized to charge deposit account 500345 the sum necessary.

Applicants respectfully request examination in view of the remarks. A notice of allowance is earnestly solicited.

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